THREE ELECTION CASES FAIL

In One the Jury Disagreed and Verdicts of Acquittal Are Returned in Two.

Sylvester Keller's Testimony Before the Grand Jury Given After He Had Been Having a Good Time-Matters from Various Courts.

The election cases for partisan purposes thrown into the United States Court by ex-Assistant District Attorney Leon Bailey are being disposed of at a rapid rate, but at an enormous expense to the government. There are from ten to twenty-five witnesses in each case, and although few of them are of any value to the government they increase very greatly the bills it will have to pay. There were two of these cases on the docket yesterday, but as there was no evidence against the accused the court wasout of work before 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The jury that heard the evidence as to the charge against John Cronk reported to Judge Woods at 11 o'clock yesterday morning that it was unable to agree, and was discharged. The jury stood six for conviction and six for acquittal. The case was continued, to be called again after others on the docket have tried. The jury disagreed on the question whether Cronk paid Philip Boothy, the prosecuting witness, the money before or after he (Boothy) voted. Mr. Cronk testified that the money was paid after, but Boothy said it was paid before the vote was cast. Under the instructions of Judge Woods the jury was bound to return a verdict of acquittal in case it was believed the money was paid after the vote was cast. While Cronk testified that he gave Boothy the money in payment of a debt, that fact did not palliate the offense. Judge Woods told the jurors that even though the money had been as a bet, in the manner it was, the defendant would still be guilty. The district attorney thinks there could easily have been a conviction if the indictment had been drawn properly.

As soon as Judge Woods had discharged the jury in this case, Lincoln Brown, also of Veedersburg, was placed on trial. The charge against him was bribery, the indictment setting forth that he paid John R. Goins \$10 to vote the Republican ticket. Goins testified that on the morning of the election he met Brown, who paid him \$10 by slipping it into his vest pocket. He also said he received a Republican ticket from the defendant which he voted. On direct examination Goins said he was a day laborer, but under cross-examination he admitted that he was a bartender.

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The defendant Brown denied all statements made by the prosecuting witness so far as they related to a purchase of his vote. He said that while in company with Albert Gossett he met Goins on the morning of the election and asked him how he was going to vote. Goins replied that he proposed to vote the Democratic ticket, but expressed a willingness to sell out. Witness told him that he had no money to pay for votes, and would not buy one if he had any amount of money. Brown and Gossett then left Goins, and witness had no further conversation with him that day. Mr. Gossett corroborated Mr. Brown's testimony in every particular. He said Goins asked Brown for money, and that the latter scorned the proposition. That was all the evidence there was in the case, and after a short argument the jury retired at noon. When court reassembled at 2 o'clock a verdict of acquittal was returned.

The trial of Dr. Jesse N. Talbott and Charles McKenzie, of Ripley township. Montgomery county, was then begun. They were jointly indicted for bribery, it being alleged that they had purchased the vote of Sylvester Keller for \$15. Mr. Keller was the first and only witness. He is a young man with an honest face, and a frankness of manner that impressed the jury favorably. His evidence, in brief, was that he saw Dr. Talbott on the day of the election had held no conversation with him. Two months before the election the Doctor had asked him what he thought of Harrison for President, and he replied that he was the man. He further told him that he had never

him what he thought of Harrison for President, and he replied that he was the man. He further told him that he had never voted other than the Republican ticket, and expected to do the same this time.

"Did you see Mr. McKenzie on the day of the election?" asked the district attorney.

"I saw him in the afternoon after I had voted. I voted in the forenoon. I went to him and told him that I understood the Remulicans had money. I am a poor

him and told him that I understood the Republicans had money. I am a poor man, having some debts to pay immediately. I further said as I had been working hard for Harrison all through the campaign I thought I ought to have a little. I understood. I said to him, that Cleveland had donated \$10,000 to be divided among the Democrats on election day, and that I did not see why the Republican boys who had been working hard could not have a little money, too. Mr. McKenzie said he would see if he could make up a small purse for me. He went around to several of the men, and then gave me \$15."

"Did you get your ticket from McKen-'No; I got it from a man named Clark, and voted it early in the morning."
"Did you say you would vote the Democratic ticket if the Republicans did not

give you money?"

"No, sir; I would not have voted any but the Republican ticket if I had been paid ten times \$15. I never thought of voting anything but the Republican ticket."

"You owed Dr. Talbott a doctor's bill, did you not?"
"Yes, I did, and I paid it out of the money

'Were you before the grand jury?"

"Did you testify then as you have now?"
"I think I did. If I did not, I intended to
do so. The truth is I was in such a condition when I was before the jury that I do not know what I did say. There were forty men summoned from our county as witnesses before the jury at the same time, and as it was all new to me I had to stay with them to keep from getting lost. We got to drinking beer, and playing pool, and before I knew it I was drunk."

"The forty men were not in the grand jury room?" asked Judge Woods. "No, but I was drunk, and scared to death when I was there. All I remember is that my heart nearly jumped out of my mouth. All I know about my trip up here is that we had a good time."
You were asked about the \$15 before the

jury, were you not?" "I suppose I was, and if I told the truth I told just what I said here. I cannot remember what they asked me or what I

At this point in the testimony District Attorney Chambers said to the judge: "This is our only witness." The judge then asked the witness a few questions, but he could not move him from the story he had told. The attorneys for the defense had Mr. Keller repeat his story, and he told it just as he did on direct examination. Judge Woods then turned to the jurors and asked them if they were ready to return a verdict without going further. All nodded assent and the foreman filled out the usual blank by writing the words "not guilty"

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"Some more of Bailey's rubbish," said Assistant District Attorney Cockrum, after the accused had been discharged. "Bailey has simply asked Keller if he received \$15 on election day and learning that he did has had these gentlemen indicted for buying a vote. Dr. Talbott was probably included because two months before the election he asked Keller how he was going to
vote, or because Bailey happened to find
out that Keller had owed the Doctor a
small bill at the time the election was
held."

The cases against Ward Heldebrand, Freeman Heldebrand, and John Emerick, of Carroll county, and George Bailey, of Morgan county, all charged with bribery, have been postponed because the docket is too crowded. No time has yet been set for their trial. The cases disposed of have taken a longer time than was available. taken a longer time than was expected.

Would Like to Have Pay for Services. George Cook yesterday appeared in a suit against Zachariah Bush, to recover money claimed for services. Last summer, Bush was robbed of \$1,500 in University Park, by two confidence men. The latter escaped, Loyd. Cook claimed that he assisted the letective in identifying the men. The should have been amended by order of it now.

swindlers were ultimately sentenced to the penitentiary for seven years each, and Cook says he has never yet received any pay for his services in assisting in their

Trial of John Daglish.

The evidence in the trial of John Daglish, charged with the murder of Thomas Downey, was completed yesterday, and the argu ment begun. The testimony has introduced no striking features on either side, although the defense consider that its witnesses yesterday succeeded in establishing a strong ground for the boy's acquittal. James Campbell, the brother of Daniel Campbell, whose whereabouts are now unknown, and who is charged by the defense as being one of the two men who became involved in a quarrel with Daglish, was put upon the stand. He stated that he had procured a knife from Daglish some time before the killing and gave it to his brother Daniel. This is corroborated by the fact that no knife of any sort was found about Daglish when Downey was wounded, nor about the place where the crime was committed. Edward Van, who claims to have been an eye-witness of the murder, testified that there were four men involved in the affray, substantially the same story that Mattie James told when arrested as an accessory. Dr. Hodges testified that he had examined the wounds about Daglish's head claimed to have been inflicted by a pair of knucks in Downey's hands, and that they were not the result of knucks, upon which fact the defense expects to present one of its strongest points of argument. Much unimportant evidence was then introduced simply as means of identification, and of clinching the points already made on both sides.

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The last witness on the stand was John Daglish, the accused. He stated that he was eighteen years of age, and had known Downey intimately for twelve years. On the night of the tragedy he met him on the corner of Michigan and Agnes streets, a little after 6 o'clock, from which place they went to the home of Mattie James. At 9:30 they left, but had gone only a short dis-tance when they were overtaken by the James girl, who accompanied them to the corner of New York and Douglass streets.
Here, after some time spent in conversation, they were approached by two men, each
with a woman, who seemed to show more
than the usual amount of curiosity to see Downey and his friends. In response to a passing remark from Downey, one of the men stepped aside and the two began a struggle. The witness stated that he at-tempted to assist Downey, but that he him-self was knocked down, and when he arose he found Downey lying on his face with the knife wounds in his heart. The two men, supposed to be Albert West and Daniel Campbell, turned and ran, the women disappearing in an opposite direction. Daglish denied the James girl's story in regard to his own guilt in doing the stabbing, as well as her version of their relations on that night

that night.

Deputy Prosecutor Holtzman opened the argument for the State, and confined himself to a recapitulation of the evidence on both sides. He was followed by Charles W. Smith, for the defense, who spoke until 5 o'clock, when the court adjourned. This morning, Mr. Smith will finish his argument, to be followed by Duncan, for the defense. Prosecuting Attorney Mitchell will close the State's case, and it is expected that the fury will be out some time this

afternoon.

When the Decisions Are Expected. It is probable the opinion of the Supreme Court in the case of the certificate-holders who want to constitute a Supreme Court Commission, will be rendered earlier than any of its decisions on cases growing out of last winter's legislation. The Supreme Court Commission controversy was argued and submitted to the court before its members went home for their last recess. In what are known as the "city cases," covering the boards of Public Works and Affairs and the Police-Fire Commission, the briefs were not ready at the time of the last adjournment, and had to be sent to the judges at their homes. For this reason the Supreme Court Commission decision is Supreme Court Commission decision is looked for earlier than the decisions in either of the other cases. By some of those particularly interested it was looked for yesterday, but as yesterday was the first day the judges have had for consultation since the case was argued and submitted, it is probable their conclusions on it will not be appropried for some days to come it is probable their conclusions on it will not be announced for some days to come.

It is probable the loan-act case will be argued and submitted on Friday of this week, and in view of the interests involved, an early decision in that matter is looked for. Meantime the State officers having in charge the matter of collecting and distributing the State funds, are in the frame of mind in which John Van Buren said he always entered a new saloon, "hoping for the best, but prepared for the worst."

Will See It Out. The old Police Commissioners of the city of Evansville, A. Foster, Adolf Goeke and E. E. Law filed a protest against the dismissal of the appeal in their contest with the new board appointed for that city by the last Legislature. The Supreme Court | coming to Indianapolis regularly longer | Mr. Bramwell was a member of the Tippeyesterday, while dismissing the appealas to than any other drummer. His name is H. the city of Evansville, overruled the motion for dismissal as to other defendants. It will be remembered that the decision of the lower court in the Evansville case was against the old commissioners, and that the new appointees were installed in office. An appeal in which the city joined was taken to the Supreme Court. The Council of Evans-ville subsequently asked to withdraw such appeal and it was to prevent the case was against the old commissioners, and that the new appeal and it was to prevent the case was against the old commissioners, and that the new appeal and it was to prevent the case was against the old commissioners, and that the new appeal and it was to prevent the case was against the old commissioners, and that the new appeal and the case was against the old commissioners, and that the new appointees were installed in office. An appeal of the council of Evans-ville subsequently asked to withdraw such appeal, and it was to prevent the case from being taken out of the hands of the court of last resort that the protest of the old commissioners was filed. As the matter now stands the appeal is preserved, and will probably be decided in connection with the similar cases from this city during the present sitting of the court.

Must Pay Taxes. A. E. Burkhardt & Co., fur-dealers, of Cincinnati, organized a branch house in this city a little more than five months ago, and began to carry on a trade in seal-skin sacques. On the ground that they were selling from samples they claimed to be exempt from taxation, but their stock was levied upon. Yesterday Judge Howe decided that the firm was subject to taxation, and accordingly rendered a judgment in favor of the county treasurer for \$57.92. This is on basis of property valued at \$3,200.

Notes from the Dockets.

The will of John Dohlus was admitted to probate yesterday. It bequeaths to each of his five children \$1, and to Elizabeth Robinson all of his personal and real property. Henry Prassee is named as executor of the

Albert Scott, eighteen years of age, was before United States Commissioner Van Buren yesterday afternoon, charged with selling tobacco without a license. He pleaded ignorance of the law. as his de-fense, and was allowed to go, after being lectured by the commissioner.

Frank W. Flanner was yesterday appointed administrator of the estate of Jeremiah K. Tullis, his bond being \$1,000; Celia Snyder, administratrix of the estate of Wilhelmina Eckhart, bond \$4,500; Sophia Wesling, guardian of Matilda, Lilian and Carl Wesling, bond \$700, and Albert Barnes, guardian of William L. Taylor, bond \$4,600. Lottie Burns and Charles E. Burnes were married on Aug. 26, 1884, but for the last two years they have not lived together. Yesterday the wife filed a complaint for divorce, claiming that ever since their mar-riage, and especially during the last two years, Mr. Burns has refused to make any provision for the support of herself and her two children, Garnet, three years old, and Ruby, one. In addition to her petition for divorce, she also asks for the custody of the

youngest child. The Court Record.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS. 13530. Wm. H. Jenkins et. al., vs. Jacob B. Stetler, Clinton C. C. Reversed. Mitchell J.-When a Common Council, by taking all the necessary preliminary steps, acquires urisdiction and makes a contract for street improvements a party benefited will not be allowed after the completion of the contract to claim that the ordinance under which the contract was made was illegal because it authorized the contractors to appropriate the surplus earth. 2. The Circuit Court had no authority to amend or authorize any amendment to the trans-

the Council after which an amended transcript could have been filed.

14826. Frederick Emerick vs. City of Indianapolis. Marion S. C. Affirmed. Elliott, C. J.—A saloon-keeper whose place of business is within two miles of the city of business is within two miles of the city of Indianapolis, and not within the jurisdiction of any town, is subject to the jurisdiction of the city of Indianapolis, and an ordinance of the city requiring a license for the sale of liquor is effective.

13671. Travelers' Insurance Company vs. James B. Patten et al. Sullivan C. C. Affirmed. Olds, J.—When a party accepts and retains the benefits of a contract made without authority by his attorney he will

without authority by his attorney he will be deemed to have ratified the contract. 14469. Catherine Johnson vs Edward Pontious Fulton C. C. Reversed. Berkshire J.—Unless there was a contract for the sale of land, possession taken under it and a payment of the purchase money there is no equitable title. The testimony in this case does not support the claim of an equitable title.

13830. Central Union Telegraph Company vs. H. C. Dodge. Elkhart C. C. Dis-

SUPERIOR COURT. Room 1-Hon. Napoleon B. Taylor. Judge. Sarah C. Martin vs. Chris, G. Weiss; dam-

ages. On trial by jury. Room 2-Hon. D. W. Howe, Judge. Viola H. Chasteen vs. Charles Chasteen: divorce. Granted plaintiff on grounds of cruel treatment. She was given \$125 ali-

A. E. Burkhardt et al. vs. Sample Loftin, county treasurer; injunction. Refused, and judgment for \$57.92 in favor of defendant.

John Church Company vs. David E. Stout. Dismissed and costs paid.

George Cook vs. Zachariah Bush; complaint for services. On trial by court.

Room 3-Hon. Lewis C. Walker, Judge. James V. Wood et al. vs. George P. Bissell, trustee; to quiet title. Dismissed. Elizabeth Miller vs. Samuel Miller; divorce. Dismissed. Cornelia Fetrow vs. Joseph Fetrow; di vorce. On trial by court.

New Suits Filed. Lottie Burns vs. Charles E. Burns: complaint for divorce. Allegations, failure to provide and cruelty.

Gottlieb C. Kruh vs. Mary O. Shea; complaint on note. Demand, \$150. CIRCUIT COURT.

Hon. Livingston Howland, Judge. Moses Wiskopf vs. August J. Friver's estate. Claim allowed \$98.70.

James Scanlan vs. John C. Gibney & Co Martin Mulkern vs. John C. Gibney & Co.

FROM OUT OF TOWN.

Politicians and Business Men Seen in the Lob bies of the Several Hotels of the City.

William H. H. Shambaugh, one of the Representatives from Allen county in the lower house of the last General Assembly, is stopping at the Grand. He was one of the bitterest Democrats in the Legislature, and had a hand in nearly all the political schemes that were carried through under the name of law. Not content with assisting in creating offices for Democrats, he introduced the bill designed to rob the Reporter of the Supreme Court of the emoluments of his office, and over the protests of many Democrats who favored fair dealing. had it made a caucus measure and pushed it to final passage. After working so hard to injure Mr. Griffiths, he is very much disappointed because the Supreme Court has held that a vital part of the bill is unconstitutional. Mr. Shambaugh also joined hands with young Curtis to secure the stitutional. Mr. Shambaugh also joined hands with young Curtis to secure the passage of the bill imposing upon this city a Board of Public Works and Affairs, although he was forced to admit while making a speech on the bill that he would vote against it if it applied to Fort Wayne. He was looking over the wreck of the work of the Assembly yesterday, but he did not find much that he could commend, even to his Democratic constituents. cratic constituents.

Along with Mr. Shambaugh was Charles Munson, the well-known Democratic politician from Fort Wayne; and although Mr. Munson's ambition to be Auditor of State has been twice thwarted, he is still in the field, and will likely be found seeking the Democratic nomination for the same office at the next State convention. At present he claims to be devoting himself exclusive-ly to business, but his Indianapolis friends Secretary of State, and Congressman By-num for Governor. "We are looking around for the right kind of timber for the other offices," said a Democrat last night, "and then the work in the interest of all the candidates will begin in earnest."

"There is the oldest traveling man that comes to Indianapolis," said clerk Updegraft, of the Grand, last night. "I don't mean the oldest in years, but he has been J. Shinkle, and he travels for the Will. M. Kinard Company, of Dayton, O. He has been coming here regular for over fifteen years, and has always stopped at this hotel. He hardly ever misses a week, and we would think the world was not going on right if he did not make his appearance on time. He is one of the most successful traveling men I know of, and the fact that he has been on one 'run' for so many years shows that he is an exceptionally valuable man to the firm. It is seldom that a commercial traveler remains on one route fifteen years."

Among the out-of-town people at the New Denison, yesterday, was J. M. Wescott, of Richmond. As Mr. Wescott has Indianapolis investments, he is not an infrequent visitor to the city. He is a man of means, and thinks Indianapolis is a good place for investments. The free-gas movement, he thinks, is a wise undertaking, and should by all means be made a success.

John Finch, sheriff of St. Joseph county, and Charles Shuck, sheriff of Harrison county, were in the city yesterday. Both brought patients to the Insane Asylum.

J. H. Burford, of Crawfordsville, is at the New Denison.

W. R. McClelland, of Danville, ex-county clerk of Hendricks county, was in the city yesterday. Mr. McClelland, for many years, has been one of the leaders of the Republicans in that county, and, through his efforts and those of other active workers like him, the party has steadily maintained a majority of 1,000 or 1,200 in the county. During the last campaign, Mr. McClelland had charge of the Lincoln League work in the county, and by the time the campaign opened he had thirteen leagues organized. As a result of this organization the Republicans increased, by 200, their majority. With such results accomplished, Mr. Mc-Clelland believes the Lincoln League organizations should be maintained and strengthened in every country in the Citate. strengthened in every county in the State.

Amusements. Miss Nellie McHenry and Salsbury's Troubadours will give two more performances of "Three of a Kind" at the Grand. the matinee at popular prices this afternoon and to-night. The show is full of

The gratifying announcement made Monday night that Mr. Booth had rejoined his company and is in excellent health caused an increased demand yesterday for seats for the engagement of him and Mr. Barrett at English's Friday and Saturday next, although there are yet plenty of good seats to be obtained at the box-office. The production of "Merchant of Venice, which they are to give on Friday night, promises to be the most elaborate and attractive presentation of a Shakspergan plan aver presentation of a Shaksperean play ever seen in this city. At the Saturday matinee "Hamlet" is to be given, and Saturday night a double bill, "Fool's Revenge" and "Yorick's Love." The advance sale will continue this morning.

IF the liver and kidneys are sluggish and inactive Hood's Sarsaparilla will arouse them to prompt and regular action. Take CHAT WITH MYRON W. REED.

The Reverend Gentleman Tells About Old Home Folks and Other Attractions at Denver.

Rev. Myron W. Reed sojourner at Denver, but citizen of the world, is stopping at the Denison House for a few days, much to his own satisfaction and the pleasure of numerous friends who sit with him and exchange reminisences. Speaking of Indianapolis people in Denver, he said: "There's Charles B. Coe, general agent of the Northwestern Life Insurance Company. He came to Denver four years ago, supposed to be in consumption. He's in fairly good health now, attends to business, and is cheerful and contented. His wife is a daughter of the late Judge Williams, of your Marion county Superior Court. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Levering are in Denver. Mrs. Levering singing in the Trinity Methodist Church, at concerts and private entertainments. She is a great favorite, and has grown in favor from the first. Judge D. V. Burns is in better health than when he left Indianapolis. He has entered the law firm of Walcott & Vaile. J. F. Vaile, of the firm, is a Kokomo man, and Edward Walcott, the senior partner, is United States Senator." ator."

"Any Indianapolis real estate men?"
"No, they don't locate at Denver. Tom Patterson, one of our leading lawyers, is from Crawfordsville. He was a candidate last fall on the Democratic ticket for Governor, and, of course, was defeated. But we can't drift into politics. Lafayette Pence is another Indiana man who is doing well in Denver. He is from Hanover, and is now county attorney. We do some organized charity work out there. It is in good shape—Catholics, Protestants and Hebrews are all together in one grand comhebrews are all together in one grand combination. We raised all the money we needed at one pull, and portion it out once a month, distributing it among three orphan asylums, the Humane Society, the House of the Good Shepherd, the Woman's Hospital, the Day Nursery for Children, the Free Kindergarten, Free Dispensary, Hebrew Benevolent Society, the Society of Vincent de Paul, and the churches of seven different denominations. There are fifty-seven churches in Denver and our population is about 125 000."

population is about 125,000."
"About as large as Indianapolis?"
"Yes; and we have a cable road. Colonel Downing, of Indianapolis has built us an excellent system of cable. A man living out three or four miles now goes to his home as quickly as he used to do when low dog.

Denver was a town of 10,000 inhibitants.

"How is your electric road?"

"We had an electric road but it never was satisfactory. It was so uncertain in its movements that people got tired and preferred walking. That was not an overhead but an underground system. We are now building a new hotel and a new theater."

"How are you as to the Chinese?"

"I'm agin 'em. We have more than are available for Sunday-school purposes—about twelve hundred. There is a new brand of cigar on the Denver market now, the most popular cigar that has been on sale there for some time. Lam told. It has sale there for some time, I am told. It has a villainous smell, but the label makes it very popular with smokers. The brand is 'The Chinese Must Go.' It is not as yet generally known that the cigar is made by the Chinese. Yes, Bret Harte was right. For tricks that are vain the heathen Chinee is peculiar."

JOHN M. BRAMWELL'S DEATH.

One of the Best Known Masons in the State-The Close of a Long Life of Usefulness.

John M. Bramwell, one of the oldest and certainly the best known Mason in Indiana, died at an early hour yesterday morning, at the residence of his son-in-law, W. H. H. Hamilton, 109 Park avenue. For several years he has been in ill health, the last three years especially, though until for the past four months he has been able to be about, moving with slow and faltering step, and leaning heavily upon his cane. His death was directly attributable to failure of heart action, following physical ex-

say he is not permitting any opportunity to make a political friend escape. A partial slate, it is said, has already been arranged for the next campaign, which has on it Mr. Munson for Auditor of State, Geo. S. Pleasants, of Dearborn county, for State, and Congressions, Respectively. since, with the exception of a few years spent at Cincinnati. He was engaged in mercantile pursuits for a number of years; was long book - keeper for Browning & Sloan, druggists, but was best known as secretary of the but was best known as secretary of the Grand Lodge of Masons, and also of other Masonic bodies, which offices he held for many years. He celebrated the fifty-fifth anniversary of his marriage just before his wife's death, last year. Five daughters survive him, Mrs. Mary Hamilton, of this city; Mrs. Kate Baker, and Mrs. Emma Cashey, of Brightwood; Mrs. Isabelle Allmon, of Bellefontaine, O.; and Mrs. Laura Davis of Denver Col. Davis, of Denver, Col.

tion will act as pall-hearers at his funeral, which will take place on Friday.

Building Permits.

Building permits were issued yesterday to Cohen & Son, repairs, 31 South Illinois street, \$250; Frank O'Brine, dwelling, Germania street, near Michigan, \$950; Jennie Allen, repairs, 62 Ruckle street, \$600; Fred Allen, repairs, 62 Ruckle street, \$600; Fred Gansburg, frame cottage, Beecher street, near Gatling, \$800; Lula Morgan, frame dwelling, Tennessee street, near Twelfth, \$1,500; M. Goetz, frame cottage, Ramsey avenue, near Clifford, \$600; John E. Watts, frame cottage, 69 Newman street, \$500; Benjamin Rowley, repairs, 119 Peru street, \$350; W. W. Sickles, repairs, 351 North East street, \$250; J. Dalke, addition, 90 Davidson street, \$500; Rebecca Whittaker, frame cottage, Woodlawn avenue, near Reed street, \$900; E. Stake, addition, 363 Ash street, \$50; Henry Schwinge, repairs, 102 Cherry street, \$50: T. J. Morse, repairs, 120 Indiana avenue, \$900.

Not Inclined to Grant It. The County Commissioners have been asked to place footways on the Kentuckyavenue bridge, but think there ought to be donations to help them in paying for the work. The estimated cost is about \$2,800, but while property-holders representing taxable values of several million dollars have signed a petition for the improvement, the commissioners are not inclined

to grant the request. Articles of Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State yesterday by the Enterprise Steam Laundry Company of Anderson, capital stock \$10,000; the Park Cemetery Association of Fairmont, capital stock \$3,000; Breney Boiler-feeder Com-pany of Indianapolis, capital stock \$50,000; New Hope Mutual Gas and Pipe-line Com-pany of Howard county, capital stock

Killed at Greenville, Ohio. G. H. Hall, a brakeman on the Panhandle, was thrown under the wheels and killed while coupling cars on a sidetrack, last evening, at Greenville. O. His right shoulder and chest were crushed in. He has a wife and two children living here. At the request of the railroad company the coroner held an inquest last night.

Must Remove Garbage. The State Board of Health yesterday sent out notices to all county health officers to cause all property-holder in their jurisdiction to remove from their premises, by May 1, prox., all garbage, waste or other matter which may prove detrimental to the public health, or in any manner interfere

Increase of Wages.

with the comfort of the people.

The wages of the janitors at the courthouse were increased yesterday. Those formerly receiving \$30 will hereafter be paid \$35, and the remainder, formerly paid \$40, will get \$45 per month.

Not Built That Way. Oil City Derrick.

The most contemptible fellow on the face of the earth is he who borroweth and read-

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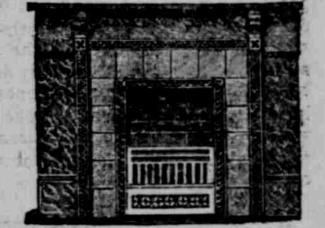
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